UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN NORTHERN DIVISION

JOSEPH N. SKIPPEK,	
Plaintiff,	
v.	Case No. 2:06-cv-199
	HON. GORDON J. QUIST
LOUIS MIRON, et al.,	
Defendants.	

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OPINION AND ORDER APPROVING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendation filed by the United States Magistrate Judge in this action on August 24, 2006. The Report and Recommendation was duly served on the parties. The Court has received objections from the plaintiff. In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1), the Court has performed *de novo* consideration of those portions of the Report and Recommendation to which objection has been made. The Court now finds the objections to be without merit. For the reasons stated in the Report and Recommendation, plaintiff has failed to state a claim against defendant Abdellatif pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1915(e)(2) and 1915A(b), and 42 U.S.C. § 1997e(c).

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (Docket #4) is approved and adopted as the opinion of the court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that plaintiff's claims against defendant Abdellatif are DISMISSED for failure to state a claim.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED the clerk shall issue summons and complaint for defendant Miron.

Dated: February 16, 2007

/s/ Gordon J. Quist

GORDON J. QUIST

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE